

117TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 268

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 11, 2021

Mr. VELA introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. BOUNDARY; LEGAL DESCRIPTION.**

4 (a) BOUNDARY.—Section 3(b)(2) of the Palo Alto
5 Battlefield National Historic Site Act of 1991 (16 U.S.C.
6 410nnn–1(b)(2)) is amended—

7 (1) in subparagraph (A)—

1 (A) by striking “consist of approximately”
2 and inserting the following: “consist of—

3 “(i) the approximately”;

4 (B) by striking the period at the end and
5 inserting “; and”; and

6 (C) by adding at the end the following:

7 “(ii) on the date that such land is do-
8 nated to the United States, the approxi-
9 mately 166.44 acres of land generally de-
10 picted on the map entitled ‘PALO ALTO
11 BATTLEFIELD NATIONAL HISTOR-
12 ICAL PARK Proposed Boundary Addition,
13 Fort Brown Unit’, numbered 469/143,589,
14 and dated April 2018.”; and

15 (2) in subparagraph (B), by striking “map”
16 and inserting “maps”.

17 (b) LEGAL DESCRIPTION.—Section 3(b)(3) of the
18 Palo Alto Battlefield National Historic Site Act of 1991
19 (16 U.S.C. 410nnn–1(b)(3)) is amended by striking
20 “after” and all that follows through “Secretary of the In-
21 terior” and inserting “after the addition of lands to the
22 historic park boundary, the Secretary of the Interior”.

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